

What is the Goal of 5S?

5S is a Lean method intended to implement order in the workplace.

- The goal of 5S is to improve efficiency by eliminating various wastes, including the waste of motion and time spent looking for tools, materials or information.
- Other benefits include improved safety and morale due to a more effective work environment.



What is the 5S Process?

SORT

Purge & organize work area

SET IN ORDER

Understand where items belong to be easily accessible when needed

SHINE

Clean work area to be free of dirt and clutter

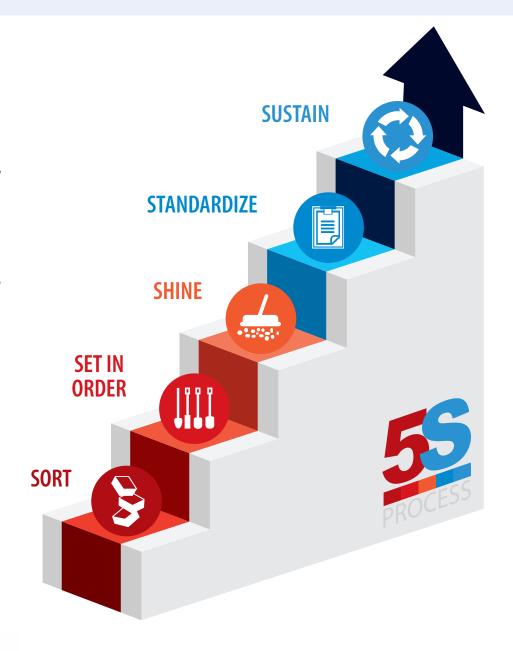
STANDARDIZE

Document & enforce/reward successful 5S behaviors

SUSTAIN

Continuously audit and improve process

Follow every step with Safety!





Why Use 5s?

- Remove waste from the workplace
- Provide an environment where continuous improvement is encouraged and embraced
- Create a culture of discipline
- Improve Safety
- Improve Quality







Identify necessary items and remove unnecessary ones, use time management.



Place things in such a way that they can be easily reached whenever they are needed.



Visual sweep of areas, eliminate dirt, dust and scrap. Make workplace shine.





The 8 Lean Manufacturing Wastes



Over-production

Waiting

Non-utilized people

Transportation

nventory in excess

Motion

Extra processing







SORT Decide what is needed

Definition

- To sort necessary and unnecessary items
- Store Items:
 - Often used items remain in the work area
 - Infrequently items used away from the work area
 - Not needed items are disposed of

Why?

- Removes waste
- Safer work area
- Increases space
- Easier to visualize process

Things to Remember

- Start in one area, then sort through everything
- Discuss use of items with all persons involved
- Use appropriate decontamination, environmental, and safety procedures
- Items that cannot be removed immediately should be tagged for later removal to a red tag holding area
- If necessary, use movers and riggers





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What is a Red Tag Holding Area?

 A designated, central storage location for all workplace 5S activity. It holds rarely used items that are managed and sorted by an assigned employee.

How to use Red Tag method:

- Place items with red tags from sorted areas into the Red Tag Holding area
- Keep items highly visible
- Clearly label items
- Assign a Red Tag Manager
- Document rules for:
 - Placing items in Red Tag Area
 - Removal of items
 - Disposition of items





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SET IN ORDER Arranging Necessary Items

Definition

To arrange all necessary items in a designated place that is easily visible and accessible.

Why?

- Visually shows what is required or is out of place.
- More efficient to find items and documents (silhouettes/labels).
- Saves time by not having to search for items.
- Shorter travel distances.

Things to Remember

- Things used together should be kept together.
- Use labels, tape, floor markings, signs, and shadow outlines.
- Sharable items are kept at a central location (eliminates excess).





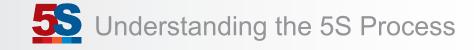
SET IN ORDER Arranging Necessary Items







A place for everything and everything in its place.







SHINE Cleaning the Workplace

Definition

 To clean everything and develop the process to make keeping it clean a part of your everyday work.

Why?

- A clean workplace indicates a quality product and process.
- Dust and dirt cause product contamination and potential health hazards.
- A clean workplace helps identify abnormal conditions.

Things to Remember

- "Everything in its place" frees up time for cleaning.
- Use an office or facility layout as a visual aid to identify individual responsibilities for cleaning. This eliminates "no man's land."
- Cleaning the work area removes the 'grime' of the day to start fresh for success tomorrow.



STANDARDIZE Creating Consistency

Definition

 To set expectations and processes to make 5S the every day standard for your workplace.

Why?

- To maintain the workplace at a level that uncovers problems and makes them obvious
- To sustain sorting, storage and shining activities every day
- To continuously improve your office or facility by continuous assessment and action

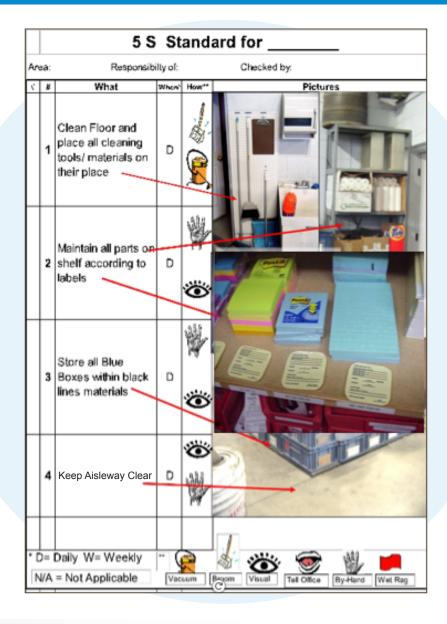
Things to Remember

Always keep the work place neat enough for visual identifiers to be effective in uncovering hidden problems.

Develop a system that enables everyone in the workplace to see problems when they occur.



STANDARDIZE | Creating Consistency





SUSTAIN | Maintaining the 5s

Definition

 To maintain and encourage the implemented 5S procedures on a daily basis through regular checks and recognition programs.

Why?

- To build 5s into our everyday process
- To allow the 5s process time to flourish
- To create opportunities for workplace and production improvement

Things to Remember

Develop schedules and check lists.

Good habits are hard to establish.

Commitment and discipline toward housekeeping are essential first steps toward being world class.



5S Cheat Sheet

SORT "When in doubt, Remove all items that are not used or move it out!" needed in the work area. **SET IN ORDER** "A place for everything and Find the best location for remaining items, set everything in its place!" inventory limits, and place temporary labels, lines and signboards. SHINE "Make it clean and Clean, repair, and paint everything, inside and keep it clean" out. Prevent dirt, grime, and contamination from reoccurring. Inspect while cleaning. **STANDARDIZE** "Quality processes on Write 5S SWIS for maintaining and time every time!" controlling the first 3. **SUSTAIN** "The most difficult -With Management support, use 5S Board, just do it!" Monthly audits and recognition.

